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The inhabitants of our city had hardly recovered from the alarms excited by the frequent shocks lately experienced, when they were again aroused on a mid-morning by a severe and tremendous earthquake which commenced about 4 o'clock and continued for two minutes; this awful and most impressive visitation was preceded by a large rumbling, resembling the noise of a number of carriages following each other, and the motion of the earth was so violent as to occasion numbers to rush from their beds to their doors, to avoid the danger which might arise from falling buildings. We are happy to state, however, that no injury has been done. The horizon immediately after the modulation of the earth had ceased, presented a dreadful appearance; the black clouds which had settled around it, were illuminated as if the whole country to the westward was in flames; and for fifteen minutes a continued roar of distant but distinct thunder added to the solemnity of the scene. A storm of wind and rain succeded, which continued until about six o'clock, when a vivid flash of lightening was immediately followed by a loud peal of Thunder. Several gentlemen who were in the makered at the time distinctly perceived a blaze of Fire which fell between the centre and south range of the market. To those who have made the wonders of nature their study, we leave the calculation whether the eruption has taken place in some distant part, or whether we are again to suffer severe trials.

A slight motion sufficient to cause vibrations was distinctly felt at ten minutes before nine on the night preceding the above, and at eleven another smart shock took place - the clocks, the pendulums of which vibrated North and South stopped, and several rents have been discovered in brick buildings were without doubt occasioned by it.